

Latta Elementary School

122 Latimer Street Latta, SC 29565

Grades 2-5 Elementary School

Enrollment 486 Students

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

2014

ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT CARD

RATINGS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD

YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING
2014	Good	Good
2013	Average	Average
2012	Average	Average
2011	Average	Average
2010	Average	Good

DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

- Excellent School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Good School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Average School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- Below Average School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision
- At-Risk School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2020 SC Performance Vision

SOUTH CAROLINA PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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Percent of Student SC PASS Records Matched for Purpose of Computing Growth Rating

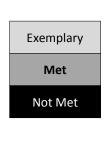
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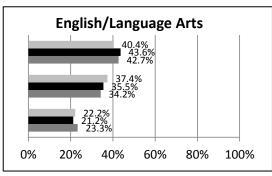
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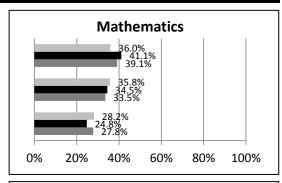
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*					
Excellent	Good	Good Average Below Average			
31	54	36	2	1	

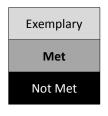
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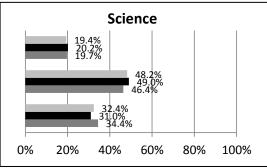
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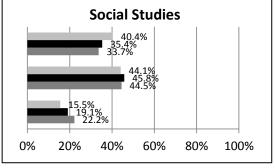


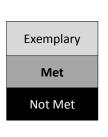


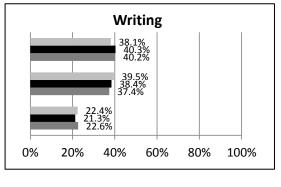


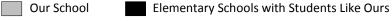












^{*} Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours are elementary schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for the school.

Definition of Critical Terms			
Exemplary	"Exemplary" means student demonstrated exemplary performance in meeting the grade level standard.		
Met	"Met" means student met the grade level standard.		
Not Met	"Not Met" means that the student did not meet the grade level standard.		

Elementary Schools Statewide

Up from 92.3%

Down from Yes

Up from 93.8%

Down from 57.0%

Up from 54.0%

No change

No change

Up 18.2%

90.3%

Good

100.0%

\$7,459

67.5%

66.5%

Excellent

Yes

90.7%

Good

Excellent

\$7,680

66.8%

66.0%

Yes 100.0%

93.2%

Good

98.6%

\$6,806

55.4%

55.0%

Excellent

No

^{**} Prior year audited financial data are reported.

Percent of expenditures for instruction**

Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**

Prime instructional time

Opportunities in the arts

Dollars spent per pupil**

Parents attending conferences

Character development program

SACS accreditation

Report of Principal and School Improvement Council

Serving 2nd – 5th grades Latta Elementary has a reputation throughout our area for providing a quality education for all children of our community.

Our special education program includes two resource teachers who serve students identified as having a learning disability and provide extra help to bring them up to grade level. The LES media center allows students the opportunity to conduct research and provides materials that meet the needs of every student's literacy level. Our media center is the home of our morning WVIK-News Program, anchored by 5th grade students. Technology used throughout the school includes laptops for checkout, classroom VISTA systems, LightSpeed microphones and Senteo interactive response systems. Each certified staff member is issued a laptop for instructional use. Two computer labs are available for student assessment and instructional use. Every student has supervised access to the Internet, as well as a personal email account.

A highly qualified staff constantly seeks ways to improve through workshops, research and coursework. Teachers have common planning to allow time for team data conferences, grade level and school-wide professional development. Target students are identified for remediation in areas not mastered and are provided one on one instruction on those skills by their classroom teacher. Our GT students receive instruction and complete projects to extend their learning.

Community involvement is important to us, as this is a key in developing well rounded individuals. Students and staff give freely to causes such as our PEAP (Pupils Exercising Against Poverty) Fundraiser. Our students are recognized throughout the year for good behavior, as well as their academic and artistic accomplishments.

Latta Elementary strives to fulfill its belief in the importance of providing a quality education for all children while creating a community of lifelong learners.

Debra Morris- Principal

Kelly Sellers- School Improvement Council Chairperson

Evaluations by Teachers, Students and Parents			
	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	29	118	86
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	82.2%	94.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	86.1%	89.4%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	96.6%	85.4%	66.7%

^{*} Only students at the highest elementary school grade level and their parents were included.

ESEA/Federal Accountability Rating System

In July 2013, the South Carolina Department of Education was granted a waiver from several accountability requirements of the Federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). This waiver allowed SC to replace the former pass/fail system with one that utilizes more of the statewide assessments already in place and combine these subject area results with graduation rate (in high schools) to determine if each school met the target or made progress toward the target. This analysis results in a letter grade for the school rather than the pass/fail system of previous years. For a detailed review of the matrix for each school and districts that determined the letter grade, please use the following link: http://ed.sc.gov/data/esea/ or request this information from your child's district or school.

Overall Weighted Points Total	83.1
Overall Grade Conversion	В

Index Score	Grade	Description
90-100	Α	Performance substantially exceeds the state's expectations.
80-89.9	В	Performance exceeds the state's expectations.
70-79.9	С	Peformance meets the state's expectations.
60-69.9	D	Performance does not meet the state's expectations.
Less than 60	F	Performance is substantially below the states' expectations.

Accountability Indicator (Title I Schools)

Latta Elementary School has been designated as a:

	Title I Reward School for Performance - among the highest performing Title I schools in a given year.
	Title I Reward School for Progress - one of the schools with substantial progress in school subgroups.
	Title I Focus School - one of the schools with the highest average performance gap between subgroups.
	Title I Priority School - one of the 5% lowest performing Title I schools.
	Title I School - does not qualify as Reward, Focus or Priority School.
X	Non-Title I School - therefore the designations above are not applicable.

Teacher Quality and Student Attendance		
	Our District	State
Classes in low poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	N/A	3.2%
Classes in high poverty schools not taught by highly qualified teachers	N/A	7.3%

	Our School	State Objective	Met State Objective
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	0.0%	Yes
Student attendance rate	97.4%	94.0%*	Yes

	State
Professional qualifications of all elementary and secondary teachers in the State (Advanced Degrees)	61.9%
Percentage of all elementary and secondary teachers in the State with emergency or provisional credentials	0.0%

^{*} Or greater than last year

Abbreviations for Missing Data

Latta Elementary School					4/27/2015	1703022	
SC PASS Performance By Group - ESEA/Federal Accountability							
Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Science Mean	Social Studies Mean*	ELA % Tested	Math % Tested	Science % Tested
	_	Grad	es 3-5				
All Students	638.1	637.3	625.1	650.3	99.7	99.2	100.0
Male	635.1	639.5	626.2	651.3	99.5	99.0	100.0
Female	641.6	634.7	623.8	649.2	100.0	99.4	100.0
White	647.9	649.0	633.4	658.6	99.6	99.6	100.0
African American	616.4	609.1	599.8	632.2	100.0	99.2	100.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan Native	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	596.9	595.7	594.8	615.2	98.0	94.1	100.0
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	628.0	624.5	615.9	641.4	99.6	98.9	100.0
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0	95.0	95.0	95.0

^{*} Social Studies used as "Other Academic Indicator" for elementary and middle schools.

	Grade	SCPASS ELA		SCPASS Math			
		N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	127	631.5	100.0	126	622.7	99.2
	4	128	648.9	100.0	127	657.8	99.2
	5	129	635.1	99.2	129	631.0	99.2
	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
2014		SCPASS Science			SCPASS Social Studies*/History		
2(N	Mean	% Tested	N	Mean	% Tested
	3	63	608.2	100.0	64	627.6	100.0
	4	128	637.0	100.0	128	671.0	100.0
	5	66	620.6	100.0	63	632.6	98.4
	6	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	8	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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NOTE: Results include the SC-ALT test.

N/A-Not Applicable

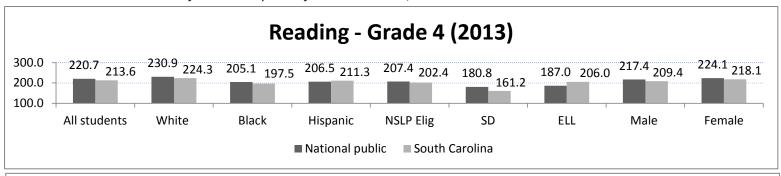
Performance by Gro	oup - ESEA/	Federal Acc	countabili [.]	ty (District)			4/27/2015	1703022
			Science	Soc Studies*/	ELA %	Math %	Science %	Graduation
Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Mean	History Mean	Tested	Tested	Tested	Rate
Subgroups	LLA Mean	Watti Weatt		es 3 - 5	resteu	resteu	resteu	Nate
All Students	638.1	637.3	625.1	650.3	99.7	99.2	100.0	N/A
Male	635.1	639.5	626.2	651.3	99.5	99.0	100.0	N/A
Female	641.6	634.7	623.8	649.2	100.0	99.4	100.0	N/A
White	647.9	649.0	633.4	658.6	99.6	99.6	100.0	N/A
African American	616.4	609.1	599.8	632.2	100.0	99.2	100.0	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	99.2 N/A	N/A	N/A N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A
With Disabilities	596.9	595.7	594.8	615.2	98.0	94.1	100.0	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	394.6 N/A	N/A	98.0 N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	628.0	624.5	615.9	641.4	99.6	98.9	100.0	N/A N/A
Migrant Annual Measurable	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
				es 6 - 8				
All Students	619.7	629.3	608.7	626.3	99.8	99.8	100.0	N/A
Male	611.5	626.8	609.3	626.9	99.5	99.5	100.0	N/A
Female	627.9	631.9	608.1	625.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
White	634.5	641.5	622.9	636.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
African American	592.9	608.1	582.6	608.6	99.3	99.3	100.0	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	567.9	579.9	566.6	N/A	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	606.6	616.6	598.3	616.7	99.6	99.6	100.0	N/A
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable	·	·	·	,	•		·	,
Objective (AMO)	632.0	632.0	632.0	632.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
, ,			Grade	es 9 - 12				•
All Students	227.5	226.0	78.1	71.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	79.2
Male	225.1	225.8	78.5	73.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	77.8
Female	229.0	226.2	77.8	70.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	80.8
White	230.5	230.5	79.6	71.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	78.2
African American	225.7	222.1	74.7	72.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	79.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hispanic	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
With Disabilities	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	25.0
Limited English Proficient	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Subsidized Meals	223.7	220.1	76.3	70.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	72.2
Migrant	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Measurable	,,,	,,,		,,,		,,,,	,,,	,,,
Objective (AMO)	229.0	226.0	78.0	75.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	75.1
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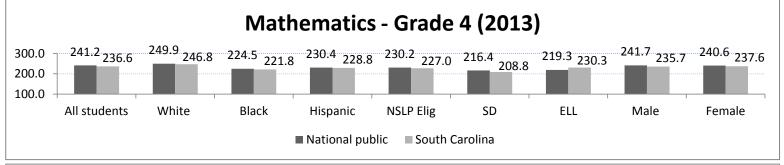
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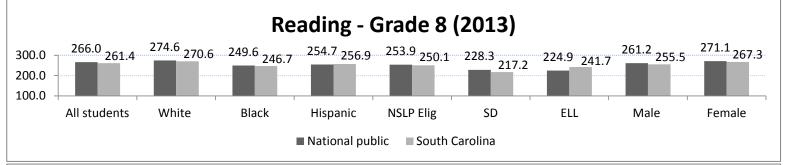
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			Science	Soc Studies*/	ELA %	Math %	Science %	Graduation
Subgroups	ELA Mean	Math Mean	Mean	History Mean	Tested	Tested	Tested	Rate
All Students	643.8	644.3	626.4	es 3 - 5 645.0	99.7	99.8	99.8	N/A
Male	638.9	643.9	627.0	646.5	99.7	99.8	99.8	N/A N/A
Female	649.0	644.6	625.8	643.4	99.8	99.9	99.8	N/A
White	659.5	662.7	644.4	659.5	99.8	99.9	99.8	N/A N/A
African American	622.3	617.3	601.2	624.1	99.7	99.8	99.7	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	669.9	686.6	655.9	673.4	99.9	100.0	99.8	N/A
Hispanic	631.7	634.6	614.5	636.5	99.7	99.9	99.9	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	642.1	640.4	627.1	641.8	99.7	99.9	99.5	N/A N/A
With Disabilities	599.3	596.5	587.6	609.2	98.9	99.5	99.5	N/A N/A
	631.2	638.6	615.0	638.1	99.7	99.5	99.9	
Limited English Proficient	627.7	625.2	609.4	628.7	99.7	99.9	99.9	N/A
Subsidized Meals	608.2	615.1	590.4	623.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
Migrant Annual Measurable	608.2	015.1	590.4	623.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	N/A
	640.0	640.0	640.0	540.0	0.5.0	05.0	0.5.0	21.42
Objective (AMO)	640.0	640.0	640.0	640.0 es 6 - 8	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
All Students	627.8	632.2	634.7	637.4	99.7	99.7	99.7	N/A
Male	620.6	630.1	634.4	639.8	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Female	635.4	634.3	635.0	634.9	99.8	99.8	99.7	N/A
White	644.3	647.7	652.3	652.3	99.8	99.8	99.7	N/A
African American	604.3	608.5	608.9	615.2	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Asian/Pacific Islander	658.5	680.2	673.0	677.3	99.9	99.9	99.9	N/A
Hispanic	617.3	625.4	625.0	630.5	99.7	99.7	99.7	N/A
American Indian/Alaskan	629.4	631.2	637.2	638.3	99.9	99.8	99.7	N/A
With Disabilities								
	574.5	584.3	584.9	592.8	99.4	99.4	99.2	N/A
Limited English Proficient	612.5	625.8	622.5	629.8	99.6	99.7	99.8	N/A
Subsidized Meals	610.0	614.6	616.3	619.9	99.7	99.7	99.6	N/A
Migrant Annual Measurable	586.4	606.8	600.8	607.7	98.2	98.2	100.0	N/A
Objective (AMO)	632.0	622.0	632.0	632.0	95.0	05.0	05.0	NI/A
Objective (AlviO)	032.0	632.0		es 9 - 12	95.0	95.0	95.0	N/A
All Students	229.3	222.6	81.8	74.9	98.7	98.7	100.0	80.0
Male	225.6	222.4	81.8	75.9	98.3	98.3	100.0	75.7
Female	233.2	222.4	81.9	74.0	99.2	99.1	100.0	84.5
White	235.2	230.8	86.1	78.1	99.0	98.9	100.0	82.8
African American	219.6	209.6	75.2	69.9	98.3	98.3	100.0	76.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	240.2	245.8	75.2 89.4	80.3	98.3	98.3	100.0	88.0
Hispanic	240.2	245.8	79.5	73.5	98.9	99.0	100.0	76.9
American Indian/Alaskan	223.1	219.4	79.5 81.9	77.2	98.9	99.0	100.0	76.9
With Disabilities	204.3	196.5	68.4	66.2	96.6	99.3	100.0	43.2
Limited English Proficient	218.0	214.7	76.6	71.3		96.3		
_					99.3		100.0	73.4
Subsidized Meals Migrant	221.1	212.6	76.8	70.8	98.3	98.2 N/A	100.0	72.5
Migrant Annual Measurable	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	61.5
Objective (AMO)	229.0	226.0	78.0	75.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	75.1

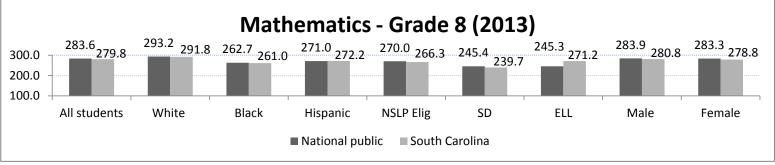
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*Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level.









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NSLP	National school lunch program	
SD	Student with disabilities	
ELL	English language learner	
NAEP	National Association of Education Progress	

	SD Participation Rate	ELL Participation Rate
Reading, Grade 4	89.0%	96.0%
Reading, Grade 8	85.0%	96.0%
Mathematics, Grade 4	93.0%	99.0%
Mathematics, Grade 8	90.0%	95.0%

Number of recently arrived ELL students exempted from ELA in state assessments

Our School

Our School

Abbreviations for Missing Data

N/A-Not Applicable N/AV-Not Available N/C-Not Collected N/R-Not Reported I/S-Insufficient Sample